



City of Santa Barbara
Parks and Recreation Department
SETBACK TREE REMOVAL APPLICATION

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CITY OF SANTA BARBARA

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PARK & RECREATION
PARKS DIVISION

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Physical Address:
402 E. Ortega St.
Santa Barbara, CA 93101

Application Fee: \$50 (effective July 1, 2010)

DATE OF REQUEST:	11/29/2010
APPLICANT:	Peter Hornemann
OWNER NAME (IF DIFFERENT THAN APPLICANT):	
MAILING ADDRESS:	320 Cooper Road, Santa Barbara
DAYTIME PHONE:	805-729-5129
LOCATION OF TREE (ADDRESS):	320 Cooper Road, Santa Barbara
TREE SPECIES (IF KNOWN):	Oak
REASON(S) FOR REMOVAL:	Damage/Up Lifting retaining wall. UTILITIES Run under tree trunk; already replaced COX CATV Feed. That was damaged.
TREE(S) WILL BE REPLACED: Yes [] With:	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

- Property owner letter, indicating reasons for removal. Also include whether:
 - The removal application is associated with new development or redevelopment of property
 - Status of development application, including whether the project is scheduled for review by the Single Family Design Board, Architectural Board of Review or Historic Landmarks Commission
 - The tree is a designated Specimen or Historic Tree or located on a property with a designated Historic Landmark
- Photo of tree(s) proposed for removal
- Development plan/Landscape plan

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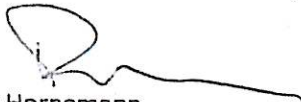
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FROM: Peter Hornemann
320 Cooper Road.
Santa Barbara, California 93109

RE: Setback Tree Removal Application

I would like the Oak tree located in my front yard removed completely. It has caused problems with my utilities as telephone, electrical and CATV pass under the trunk base of the tree. I have had to replace the CATV Service already and am concerned about future issues arising with the Continued growth of the tree. There is a retaining wall located about a Foot from the trunk base of the tree, presently causing the wall to split And raise up. My neighbor is very concerned and has asked my repeatedly To have the tree removed as it is "ruining her wall." She has pruned the tree And very little of the trees branches reach into her property. I am in agreement With her that the tree's growth will only create more serious problems with the Retaining wall. I also am concerned that contined growth will negatively effect My underground utilities that pass under the trunk base of the tree. Removal of The tree will have a positive effect on the retaining wall, eventually settling back Down and make permanent repairs possible, as well as maintaining a good Relationship with my neighbor. It will also give me piece of mind that no further Damage will occur to my utilities that pass under the trunk base.

Thank you for your consideration



Peter Hornemann

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